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SUBJECT: TDB MINISTERIAL; TDB EIGHTH SPECIAL SESSION

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1. OUR STATEMENT THAT THE TDB MINISTERIAL WILL CONSIDER THE PROBLEMS OF THE LEAST DEVELOPED (PARA 7, REF B) IS BASED ON TDB DECISION 149 (XVI) WHICH STATES: QUOTE CONFERENCE RESOLUTION 98 (IV), SUBPARAGRAPHS 10(D), 10(E) AND 10(F). THE TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD, HAVING CONSIDERED THE DEBT SITUATION OF THE LEAST DEVELOPED, THE DEVELOPING ISLAND AND THE DEVELOPING LAND-LOCKED COUNTRIES IN THE LIGHT OF CONFERENCE RESOLUTION 98 (IV) OF 30 MAY 1976, DECIDES THAT THE MINISTERIAL SESSION OF THE TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD IN 1977 SHOULD, INTER ALIA, REVIEW MEASURES TAKEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH RESOLUTION 98 (IV)
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CONCERNING THE DEBT AND RELATED DEVELOPMENT AND FINANCIAL PROBLEMS OF THE LEAST DEVELOPED, THE DEVELOPING ISLAND AND THE DEVELOPING LAND-LOCKED COUNTRIES. UNQUOTE.

2. THE LANGUAGE OF THIS DECISION IN OUR VIEW CLEARLY

IMPLIES AGREEMENT THAT INTER ALIA DEVELOPMENTAL PROBLEMS

OF THE LEAST DEVELOPED WILL BE ON THE MINISTERIAL'S

AGENDA, IN ADDITION TO DEBT.

3. IN REGARD TO THE TDB'S EIGHTH SPECIAL SESSION
SCHEDULED FOR APRIL 25-29, WE ARE ANXIOUS TO RECEIVE AN
AGENDA AND ANY INFORMATION YOU CAN DEVELOP ON WHAT
UNCTAD HAS IN MIND FOR ITS REVIEW OF NEIO/CERDS/IDS AND
UNGA RES. 3362 (S-VII) PROVIDED FOR IN TD3 DECISION
146 (XVI). APPRECIATE THE DIFFICULTIES YOU HAVE IN
OBTAINING TIMELY SECRETARIAT DOCUMENTATION BUT YOU MAY
WISH TO RECALL TO SECRETARIAT ABOVE DECISION'S REQUEST
THAT THE SECRETARY GENERAL PROVIDE QUOTE COMPREHENSIVE
REPORTS WITHIN THE FIELD OF COMPETENCE OF UNCTAD
SUFFICIENTLY IN ADVANCE OF EACH SUCH SPECIAL SESSION.
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